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SCINTILLATIONS.

An Interesting Jumble Of News And Comment.

Princess Cantacuzene, who was formerly Miss Julia Grant, is ill of pneumonia at St. Petersburg.

Dan Rice, the famous old circus clown, died last week at Long Branch, N. J., aged seventy-seven years. His real name was Daniel McLaren.

Mrs. Lucretia Clay, of Lexington, has been elected State Regent for Kentucky of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Alexander Williamson, aged seventy-six, died at Lexington Friday. He was secretary of the National Mexican Veterans' Association.

The Executive Committee of the National Association of Democratic Clubs has decided to hold the next annual meeting of the Democratic clubs at Indianapolis September 5.

John Green Simms, of Wartrace, Tenn., and Paul Irvine McClory, of Winchester, Ky., won the first and second honors of the Sophomore prize debate at Princeton College, Friday night.

THEATRICAL AND OTHERWISE.

News and Comment of Stage Matters and Other Gossip.

The Rube Tanner Co., which gave a fairly good "rube" parade Friday, gave an exceedingly poor performance at the Grand that night. Rube and the men of the company are probably better fitted for the plow than the stage. The villain would make an excellent dummy for a clothing store. The company passed through Paris yesterday en route for Georgetown.

Winchester theatre-goers saw "Shore Acres" and Hoyt's "A Temperance Town" last week. Paris had Uncle Tom's Cabin and Rube Tanner, two of the very worst companies on the road.

"THE CHRISTIAN."

Manager Scott has secured the wonderful successful drama "The Christian," which was produced 175 times in New York, and 150 times in Boston, to appear Friday and Saturday nights and Saturday matinee, March 2nd and 3rd, at the Lexington opera house. The company numbers over fifty people and carries two cars of special scenery, and the play will be given in exactly the same manner as it was produced in New York. The part of Glory Quayle will be taken by Miss Effie Ellsler, an actress who has won a splendid reputation in "Hazel Kirke" and "Camille." Many Parisians will recall the fact that when Miss Ellsler played "Camille" in this city several seasons ago, half the audience was moved to tears by her excellent acting.

A large party of Parisians will go up to the matinee performance of "The Christian." The prices will be fifty and seventy-five cents and George D. Mitchell will have the seats for sale Thursday morning. He has also arranged for a railroad fare of eighty cents for the round-trip to the performance. Persons who get this rate must get tickets from him, as it will not be offered at the depot. The News unhesitatingly commends "The Christian" as a splendid attraction, sure to give satisfaction to all who see it. Already a number of Paris people have ordered tickets for the matinee.

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Don't forget that Spring is coming and the time to buy wall paper will soon be here. We have a full and complete line and can save you from 15 to 25 per cent. less than you can buy the same goods elsewhere.

THE FAIR.

NUPTIAL KNOTS.

Engagements, Announcements And Celebrations Of The Marriage Vows.

Henry Davis Stevenson, of Clark, and Miss Cora Rice of Fleming, were married in this city last week.

Mrs. Ida Hamilton Ingles, who has been the attractive visitor of Mrs. Ida Stoner and Miss Olivia Buckner several times in the past two years, was married at Hartford, Conn., to Mr. Robert Kelly. The bride was the widow of the late Scott Ingles, of the Julia Anthur Co., and is well known in Bourbon and Montgomery counties. Both the bride and groom are members of the "Hearse of Oak" Co. The marriage occurred last November, but was just announced last week by the New York Dramatic News.

BIRTHS.

Announcements of the Visit of the Stork to Paris and Vicinity.

In Scott county to the wife of Eld. Charles Allen Thomas, a son, weight ten pounds. Mrs. Thomas was formerly Miss Fannie Currick.

At Kiserston Friday to the wife of C. Mason Forsyth, a twelve pound daughter—Helen Hart Forsyth.

I have put in a rubber tire plant and can put on the best tires while you wait feb9th. J. S. WILLSON.

OBITUARY.

Funeral Announcements of Deceased Citizens.

Edward Snodden, aged fifty, died on Sunday at Fair View, Texas, being survived by a wife and six children. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. J. T. Quisenberry, of this city, and formerly lived at Stony Point, in this county.

Ack Lewis, Sr., who once owned the E. G. Bedford farm, died a few days ago at Baker City, Oregon.

The two days old infant of Robt. Atkins died Sunday on the Robt. Ferguson place. The mother was Miss Kelly, and is a granddaughter of Mrs. Sallie Whaley, who died on the 14th.

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THE GOLD STANDARD.

Republican Members of House and Senate Reach an Agreement.

The Dollar Shall Be Twenty-Five and Five-Tenths Grains of Gold, Nine-Tenths Fine—Other Money On a Parity.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The republican members of the conference committee on the financial bill reached an agreement. The democratic conferees were called in, and stated their opposition to the bill, and without further formality the bill was ordered reported. The text of the bill as agreed upon and as it will be reported by the conferees and as it will probably become a law is as follows:

That the dollar, consisting of 25.8 grains of gold, nine-tenths fine, as established by section 3511 of the revised statutes of the United States, shall be the standard unit of value, and all forms of money issued or coined by the United States shall be maintained at a parity of value with this standard, and it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury to maintain such parity.

That United States notes and treasury notes issued under the act of July 14, 1890, when presented to the treasury for redemption, shall be redeemed in gold coin of the standard fixed in the first section of this act; and, in order to secure the prompt and certain redemption of such notes as hereinafter provided, it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury to set apart in the treasury a reserve fund of \$150,000,000 in gold coin and bullion, which fund shall be used for such redemption purposes only, and whenever and as often as any of said notes shall be redeemed from said fund, it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury to use said notes so redeemed to restore and maintain such reserve fund in the manner following to-wit: First, by exchanging the notes so redeemed for any gold coin in the general fund of the treasury; second, by accepting deposits of gold coin at the treasury or at any sub-treasury in exchange for the United States notes so redeemed; third, by procuring gold coin by the use of said notes, in accordance with the provisions of section 3700 of the revised statutes of the United States.

If the secretary of the treasury is unable to restore and maintain the gold coin in the reserve fund by the foregoing methods, and the amount of such gold coin and bullion in said fund shall at any time fall below \$100,000,000, then it shall be his duty to restore the same to the maximum sum of \$150,000,000 by borrowing money on the credit of the United States, and, for the debt thus incurred, to issue and sell coupon or registered bonds of the United States in such form as he may prescribe, in denominations of \$50 or any multiple thereof, bearing interest at the rate of not exceeding 3 per centum per annum, payable quarterly, such bonds to be payable at the pleasure of the United States after one year from the date of their issue, and to be payable, principal and interest, in gold coin of the present standard value and to be exempt from the payment of all taxes or duties of the United States, as well as from taxation in any form by or under state, municipal or local authority; and the gold coin received from the sale of said bonds shall first be covered into the general fund of the treasury and then exchanged in the manner hereinbefore provided for an equal amount of the notes redeemed and held for exchange, and the secretary of the treasury may, in his discretion, use said notes in exchange for gold or to purchase or redeem any bonds of the United States or for any other lawful purpose the public interests may require, except that they shall not be used to meet deficiencies in the current revenues. That United States notes, when redeemed in accordance with the provisions of this act, shall be reissued, but shall be held in the reserve fund until exchanged for gold, as herein provided; and the gold coin and bullion in the reserve fund, together with the redeemed notes held or used as provided in this section shall at no time exceed the maximum sum of \$150,000,000.

That nothing contained in this act shall be construed to affect the legal tender quality as now provided by law of the silver dollar, or of any other money coined or issued by the United States.

That it shall be the duty of the secretary of the treasury, as fast as standard silver dollars are coined under the provisions of the acts of July 14, 1890, and June 13, 1898, from bullion purchased under the act of July 14, 1890, to retire and cancel an equal amount of treasury notes whenever received into the treasury, either by exchange in accordance with the provisions of this act, or in the ordinary course of business, and upon the cancellation of treasury notes silver certificates shall be issued against the silver dollar so coined.

New Statue of Gen. Grant.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The house committee on library favorably reported a bill making an appropriation of \$5,000 for the preparation of plans or designs for a memorial statue of Gen. Grant to be erected in Washington.

To Meet in Indianapolis.

Washington, Feb. 24.—The executive committee of the National Association of Democratic clubs Friday decided to hold the next annual meeting of democratic clubs at Indianapolis, September 5.

FIRE IN BIRMINGHAM.

Metropolitan Hotel and the Hewlett Block, Adjoining, Are Destroyed, Causing a Loss of \$100,000.

Birmingham, Ala., Feb. 24.—The explosion of a gasoline stove in the basement of the Metropolitan hotel was followed by a fire which burned that building and the Hewlett block adjoining, causing a loss of about \$100,000. The insurance amounts to about three fourths of the loss. After two hours hard work by the firemen the flames were beyond control and, fearing the entire block, including the potter buildings and the Morris hotel would be swept away, a telegram was sent to Montgomery asking for aid. An hour later, however, the fire was under control, and the call for aid from Montgomery was countermanded.

Everything on Twentieth street from First to Morris avenue, is a wreck, but a strong fire wall back of the Hewlett building and the Metropolitan hotel prevented the fire from extending any further in that direction. The Berney bank recovered all its books, money and fixtures from its building and a company of militia was called out to guard the coin and keep the crowd back. A number of the guests in the Metropolitan narrowly escaped, some having to be lowered from their rooms by means of ropes.

PRICE OF WHITE PAPER.

Newspaper Publishers Ask Congress to Inquire Into the Sudden Increase Recently Made.

New York, Feb. 24.—The American Newspaper Publishers' association, comprising most of the large newspapers of the United States, for the past three days in convention at the Waldorf-Astoria, in this city, gave thorough consideration to the sudden increase in the price of white paper and the reasons therefor. The following resolutions were unanimously passed, and a committee of the newspaper proprietors will personally present the same to congress within the next few days:

"Whereas, The price of printing paper used by newspapers in the United States has been arbitrarily increased in price from 60 to 100 per cent., without reason or warrant to be found in the conditions of the industry itself; and,

"Whereas, It is the common belief that this increase is due to the workings of a trust; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the American Newspaper Publishers' association, representing in this case not only its own members, but the 22,000 newspapers of the United States, calls upon congress to make inquiry, by means of a special committee, into the conditions above described, to the end that suitable legislation may be provided to remedy this condition of affairs in the interest of the best source of public information provided for the people, to-wit, the newspaper press, whose interest the founders of the republic held in the highest regard."

HALF A MILLION LOSS.

Fire in Philadelphia in Which One Woman Was Killed and Several Other Persons Were Injured.

Philadelphia, Feb. 24.—One woman was killed, several other persons were severely injured and property valued at half a million dollars was destroyed by fire which broke out in the heart of the wholesale millinery district. The burned area covered nearly two acres. The woman killed was Clara Cohen, 26 years old, a seamstress in the employ of Harry and Bernard Cohen. She met her death by jumping from the fifth floor of the building in which the fire started. The fire started in the third floor of No. 721 and 723 Arch, occupied by Simon May, manufacturer of straw goods. The fire then spread to the big six story building adjoining on the east, Nos. 711 and 719 Arch street, occupied by Bowen, Dungan & Co., dealers in wholesale millinery goods. This structure was also soon entirely consumed. By this time the buildings on the west of the May building, Nos. 725, 727 and 729 Arch street, occupied by John W. Culver & Co., manufacturers of millinery goods; Philip Quellwasser, importer of furs; a bicycle firm and a manufacturer of pneumatic carriages, were also in flames and could not be saved. The losses are estimated at about \$500,000.

Civil Service Pension Fund.

Washington, Feb. 24.—An amendment to the legislative appropriation bill providing for a civil service pension fund was introduced by Senator Gallinger. It provides for the creation of such a fund by withholding two per cent. of all salaries paid to persons engaged in the civil service of government and prescribes methods for the disbursement of the fund.

Carnival Attraction.

Mobile, Ala., Feb. 23.—The United States cruiser Detroit has arrived here from Key West, having been sent to this city by the secretary of the navy to attend the Mobile carnival.

Mrs. Kruger is Very Ill.

Brussels, Feb. 24.—Private letters from Pretoria received here announce that Mrs. Kruger, the wife of the president, is very ill. The war has grievously impressed her, and her health is also impaired by anxiety for her numerous sons and grandsons fighting for their country, one of whom was killed at Deerspoort.

Bones of a Mammoth Found.

Constance, Ky., Feb. 24.—Workmen in a gravel pit found the hip bone of a mammoth. It measured two feet across.

CRONJE SURROUNDED.

He is Willing to Surrender But His Men Will Not Permit Him.

The Boers Reported to Have Plenty of Provisions, but to Be Running Short of Ammunition—Latest News From the Front.

London Feb. 24.—Every hour is expected to bring news of General Cronje's surrender. On all sides wonder is expressed that the gallant yet ghastly battle at Paardeberg drift has not yet ended in what is considered to be the inevitable. With fifty guns bearing upon the devoted band within the terribly short range of 2,000 yards, surrender or utter annihilation can be the only result, unless all reports of the strength of the Boer reinforcements are wrong. The critics canvass every untoward contingency that can affect Field Marshal Roberts and see nothing that can save Gen. Cronje from the terrible vise in which he has been caught.

Even if an unexpectedly strong attack on Lord Roberts' lines of communication could scarcely, according to these experts materially alter the result.

Paardeberg, Orange Free State, Feb. 24.—Gen. Cronje's position is more hopeless than ever. The British forces are closing in on all sides. Our guns dominate the sloping ascents from the river on all sides, and by the rush of the Shropshires on Wednesday night up the river bed the Boers lost 200 yards space in their cover.

Deserters say the British fire has been very deadly, and affirm that Gen. Cronje himself is willing to surrender, but is overborne by the young Boers from the Transvaal.

There are women and children with the Boer forces. On Wednesday Lord Roberts sent Gen. Cronje an offer of a safe conduct for the women and children, together with a free pass to any point for them, and also an offer of doctors and medicine. Cronje's reply was a curt refusal, and desultory shelling was resumed.

The kopje captured by the British last Wednesday, when 50 prisoners were taken, is a most important strategic position. Its possession should enable us to repulse any Boer reinforcements from the eastward.

The British took 80 prisoners as the result of Friday's engagement.

A balloon ascended and discovered several new works, which the British guns shelled.

The scene of the last seven days' fighting is one of the prettiest spots in South Africa. The river at the point where Gen. Cronje is ensconced and fighting for life resembles some parts of the Hudson river, the ground all around sloping toward the stream. All the highlands are covered by British artillery. Cronje is faced in the front and rear from both banks by the British, while Gen. French's horse, far away on the flanks, prevents a sudden rush of Boers.

London, Feb. 26.—The war office publishes the following dispatch from Lord Roberts, dated at Paardeberg, February 24, at 12:20 p. m.:

"Parties of Boers recently arrived from Natal attacked our outposts in force again yesterday. They lost a good many killed and wounded and nearly 100 prisoners, including a commandant and three field cornets. Our casualties were four officers wounded, nine men killed, 23 men wounded and two men missing. On the 21st and 22d an officer and 13 men were wounded. "During the advance to and at Kimberley the casualties were: Officers, 4 killed, 13 wounded; men, 4 killed, 78 wounded."

London, Feb. 26.—A dispatch to the Morning Post from Kimberley, dated Friday, says: "Gen. Cronje is reported to have plenty of provisions, but to be running short of ammunition. Mr. Rhodes is extremely hopeful that the war has reached its concluding stage."

London, Feb. 26.—The Lourenco Marques correspondent of the Times says: "The feeling in official circles at Pretoria borders on consternation. Gen. Louis Botha and President Steyn are both urging President Kruger to sue for peace. At Bloemfontein Gen. Cronje's position is regarded as hopeless."

London, Feb. 26.—The Times publishes the following dispatch from Colenso, dated Saturday: "The British are now within two miles of being in touch with Ladysmith, but the ground still to be covered is the hardest part, and very severe fighting must be expected."

Electric Lines Consolidate.

Cincinnati, Feb. 25.—The consolidation of the Cincinnati & Hamilton and the Cincinnati & Miami Valley electric lines has been consummated under the title of the Southern Ohio Traction Co. The new line extends from Cincinnati to Dayton, and through cars will be started Monday. William Christy, of Akron, was elected president of the new company, and F. T. Pomeroy, of Cleveland, secretary and treasurer.

Nellie Grant Sartoris Improving.

New York, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Nellie Grant Sartoris is now convalescing from an operation, and will be about in a few days. On account of public statements that her malady was cancer, her physician states that after the operation an examination has proved that there is no evidence that cancer has ever existed.

Frozen on a Highway.

Warsaw, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The body of John Carmody was found frozen on a highway near this town. He was out in Saturday's gale and perished.

STEAMER ASHORE.

Passengers and Crew Will Be Saved, but It Is Likely That the Vessel Will Be a Total Loss.

Portland, Me., Feb. 26.—The big Allan line steamship Californian, which left her dock at midnight Saturday, went ashore on Ram island ledge, just outside of the harbor, a few minutes after her pilot left her Sunday morning. All the passengers are safe although still aboard.

Most of the local seafaring men are of the opinion that the rocks have penetrated the bottom of the vessel in several places and they doubt very much if she can be saved. The vessel is valued at \$3,000,000. The cargo is valued at \$300,000. There are six cabin, five intermediate and ten steerage passengers beside a crew of 75 men.

CALL TO BIMETALISTS.

A National Convention Will Be Held in Kansas City, July 4—Same Date as Democratic Convention.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Judge J. W. Rucker, of Colorado, professor of the United States Monetary league, has been in Washington for several days conferring with the leading bimetalists throughout the country, with the view of getting their opinions concerning the propriety of holding a national convention of bimetalists at some time in the future.

It is now definitely determined that such convention will be held in Kansas City on July 4. It is expected that some 600 or 800 delegates will be in attendance from all the states and territories. A committee has been chosen to confer with the local committee at Kansas City for the purpose of securing accommodations for the guests.

A NOVEL TAKING OFF.

Pennsylvania Man Lies Down on a Pile of Ice in a Refrigerator Car and Dies.

Denver, Col., Feb. 26.—The body of a man, which was found in a refrigerator car at Eaton, Cal., on February 4, has been identified as that of Stuart St. Clair, of Williamsport, Pa. Instead of accident, his death is suicide.

St. Clair, who had been traveling under the name of James Hamlyn, as agent for a refrigerator car company, wrote to his wife from Ft. Worth last January that he intended to commit suicide.

January 27 he lay down on a pile of ice in a sealed refrigerator car and froze to death. His body was found when the Colorado & Southern train reached Eaton a fortnight later. His wife, hearing of this incident, sent for a photograph of the dead man, and has positively identified him as her husband.

Harry M. Weldon Stricken.

Cincinnati, O., Feb. 26.—Harry M. Weldon, who for the past 20 years has been sporting editor of the Cincinnati Enquirer, was stricken with paralysis early Sunday morning as he was entering his home on Seventh street. His right side is completely paralyzed and he is unable to speak, although he is conscious. His physicians have some hopes that the stroke will not prove fatal. Mr. Weldon is 44 years old, and is well known to the sporting fraternity throughout the United States.

British Steamship Sinks.

London, Feb. 25.—The British steamship Bath City, Capt. Jones, from New York, February 9, for Bristol, struck the north end of Lundy isle, in the British channel, Saturday. She backed off, and immediately sank in deep water. The master, three officers and ten of the crew reached Lundy Roads in life boats. The other life boat, with the remainder of the crew, is also believed to be safe.

Conference of Boer Sympathizers.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—Leaders in this state of the pro-Boer movement are arranging to call a conference in Detroit of those active in the cause in the various states for the purpose of consolidating the movement in the hope that such united effort may be influential in preparing the way for mediation and arbitration of the British-Boer differences.

Street Car Wrecked.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 26.—A street car on the Decatur Blue Line was wrecked near Oakland cemetery by striking an obstruction, which had evidently been placed across the track. The car rolled 15 feet down an embankment. The 12 passengers on the car were more or less injured. Herchel Dellaperry and Policeman Eugene Coker probably fatally.

Detroit Fireman Killed.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 26.—Fire in the plant of the Detroit Steel and Spring Co.'s works destroyed both the company's rolling mills and caused the death of fireman Timothy Kane, besides indirectly resulting in injuries to a physician and an ambulance driver. The property loss is about \$100,000, fully insured.

Bill Against Trusts.

Washington, Feb. 25.—Representative Richardson, of Tennessee, introduced joint resolutions against the steel trust and against trusts in barbed wire, wire nails, etc., in the form similar to those introduced by him against the sugar and paper trusts.

Well-Known Sporting Man Dead.

New York, Feb. 26.—Edward Kearney, a well known sportsman and Tammany politician, is dead at Palm Beach, Fla., aged 69 years. He was prominent in the horse and carriage trade.

WE WILL HOLD THEM.

The American Flag Will Not Be Taken Down on Sabitu and Cagayan Islands.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The American flag will not come down on Sabitu island or on Cagayan island. Spain has been demanding that these islands be returned to it. The war department was ready to make the return and so was the state department up to Saturday. The navy department, however, was unwilling to surrender anything it had taken, and has made its title good to the islands. The state department will inform Spain that the islands are the property of the United States, and will hold them.

Sabitu is east of Borneo and Cagayan is west of Mindaro, about 200 miles. Sabitu was saved to the United States by the discovery Saturday of an old treaty between Spain, Great Britain and Germany, which specifically says that Borneo's holding shall not extend further than three miles from the coast of Borneo. Sabitu is on the opposite side of the channel separating Borneo from the Sulu archipelago.

As to Cagayan island the records show that it was at one time used as a penal colony by Spain, and the latter is therefore stopped from denying that it was used as a part of the Philippine group.

EMBALMED BLOOD.

It Is Being Sold in Toledo by the Chicago Packing Houses Says the Inspector.

Toledo, O., Feb. 26.—City Meat Inspector Schurtz reported to the health department that he had found another meat product here in the shape of "embalmed" blood, lungs, livers and brains of hogs, sheep and cattle. He says the articles are shipped here and sold by the Chicago packing houses. He says the chief buyers of the "embalmed" blood and lungs are the Poles and Hungarians, who use the articles for sausage, soup and broths, and some claim they drink the mixture. The products are being submitted to a chemical analysis. The meat inspector says that the embalming fluids used are even stronger than those resorted to to preserve meat.

MANY PEOPLE HURT.

A Disastrous Fire Followed By a Series of Explosions in a Suburb of the City of Paris.

Paris, Feb. 26.—As the result of a fire that broke out at Saint Ouen, a suburb of Paris, in a collection of alcohol and oil stores, a series of explosions occurred spreading the flames until a block of six immense warehouses was involved in a huge conflagration.

A great concourse of spectators had assembled and had approached too near when, suddenly and unexpectedly, the explosion occurred. The official computation shows that 150 were hurt and quite a number seriously. The loss is estimated at 2,000,000 francs.

Influenza Still Raging in Berlin.

Berlin, Feb. 26.—The influenza is still raging. Princess Frederick Charles has been attacked. The Italian ambassador here, Count Lanza di Buseca, had invited Emperor William and the elite of Berlin, among them United States Ambassador White and Mrs. White to a dinner, but he was seized with influenza and the dinner was postponed.

Work of Assassins.

Knoxville, Tenn., Feb. 25.—A special from Bucktown says Miles Woods was called from his mountain home and shot down in cold blood. He died in ten minutes. His father ran out to ascertain the trouble, and was shot twice by the assassin. It is claimed that before the latter died he charged a deputy United States marshal with having committed the deed.

Locomotives on Runners.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 25.—Lumbermen have introduced a successful locomotive on runners to haul trains of log-laden sleds from lumber camps. Another machine chips ice from the lake to make roads in the snowless season. The two inventions will revolutionize the methods in the lumber camps.

Prize for Debaters.

Princeton, N. J., Feb. 25.—Announcement has been made by the judges of the sophomore prize debate held in Whig hall, recently, that the first prize was awarded to John Green Sims, of Wartrace, Tenn., and the second to Paul Irwin McClory, of Winchester, Ky. Upwards of twenty contestants entered the debate.

Death of Mrs. Amos J. Snell.

Chicago, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Henrietta Snell, widow of Amos J. Snell, the millionaire whose murder has been a mystery for 12 years, died Saturday. She was stricken three days ago with heart disease. Mrs. Snell was nearly 70 years old, and had lived since her husband's tragic death in the house in which he was murdered.

Chicago Man Dies Away From Home.

Newport News, Va., Feb. 26.—Lycurgus F. Lafin, of Chicago, the wealthy gunpowder manufacturer, died unexpectedly at the Chamberlain hotel, Old Point Comfort. He arrived here from Chicago several days ago.

Order for Whitehead Torpedoes.

New York, Feb. 25.—Rr. Adm. O'Neil, chief of the ordnance bureau, has placed a contract with E. W. Bliss & Co., of Brooklyn, for 30 Whitehead torpedoes, for which the government will pay \$120,000.

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Late News From Frankfort.

The \$100,000 reward bill and the McCord bill passed the Senate Friday. The contest committee in the Cannon vs. Stout case reported in favor of Stout, Democrat. The committee was composed of two Democrats and three Republicans.

There is no probability of the Legislature adjourning until the session ends by limitation.

The cost of the contest for the offices of Governor and Lieutenant Governor will foot up nearly \$40,000.

The A. and M. College Committee and the Committee on Charitable Institutions were in Lexington inspecting the State College and the Asylum. The The Legislators were banqueted at the Phoenix. Hon. J. T. Hinton is chairman of the House Committee on Charitable Institutions.

The State Election Board did not hold a session yesterday as was expected.

The examining trials of Harlan Whitaker and Lee Jones, who are suspected of some knowledge of the conspiracy to assassinate Gov. Goebel, will take place at Frankfort to-day.

Col. T. C. Campbell, leading counsel for the prosecution of Gov. Goebel's murderer, said yesterday that some startling surprises would occur very soon.

The "Ducks" Going.

The Duckworth Club, the famous Democratic organization of Cincinnati, is already making arrangements to go to Kansas City in attendance upon the Democratic National Convention. It is stated that one hundred men of the club, attired in their famous swell uniforms, have already signed to make the trip, and there will doubtless be many others. Their cry will be "Bryan and McLean." It is reported that the latter gentleman will make a contribution of \$50,000 cash to the Democratic National Campaign Fund.

Political Paragraphs.

Congressman Linney, of North Carolina, will introduce a bill in Congress to pension ex-Confederates.

Mathew L. Harbeson was nominated by the Democrats at Covington for Senator from Kenton county to fill the seat formerly held by William Goebel.

The Philippine commission has been practically completed and will be composed as follows: Judge W. H. Taft, of Ohio; Gen. Luke E. Wright, Tennessee; Henry C. Ide, Vermont; Dean Worcester, of Michigan, and Bernard Moses, of California. The last-named is the only appointment not officially announced.

The National Senate this week will busy itself with the Financial Bill, the Hawaiian Bill and the Quay case. The Financial Bill will probably come up Thursday. The Quay case may come up during the morning hours all the week. The House may vote on the Porto Rican tariff to-day.

STOCK AND TURF NEWS.

Sales and Transfers of Stock, Crop, etc. Turf Notes.

Henry Fuhrman has gone to Atlanta to dispose of some mules.

An unknown disease is killing many cattle over near Lancaster.

The lamb crop is coming splendidly and up to this time only a small percentage has been lost.

Bacon & Brennan sold at the Lexington horse sales last week four by Jay Bird at an average price of \$200.

The prospect for a large wheat crop in Bourbon this year is very promising, and the farmers are anticipating a fine crop.

Among the Bourbon sales of tobacco in Cincinnati last week were the following: W. J. Booth eight bbls. at \$15.15 to \$10. J. D. Booth & Co. six at \$17.50 to \$10.75. C. J. Daniels four at \$13.25 to \$10.25. W. T. Overbey four at \$13.75 to \$9.95. Sol. Spears two at \$10.75 and \$9.10. Moore & Brennan seven at \$12 to \$6.25. W. M. Sherman six at \$8.90 and \$7.85. J. C. Storer & Burns eleven at \$11.50 to \$7.75.

REMOVAL.

McMILLAN & TALBOTT

Have moved their law office to the new Agricultural Bank Building. f18tf

Bryan's Wonderful Record.

[From Louisville Times.]

William Jennings Bryan, whether he becomes President or not, will go down in history as the American who has traversed more territory, seen more places, faced more of his fellow-mortals and talked more words than any other living man.

His traveling record is phenomenal. In two months last year he covered 18,000 miles. This is equal to nine trips across the ocean. It is nearly three fourths of the distance around the world. Time was not so very long ago, when two years were deemed necessary for a round-the-world trip.

IN MANY SMASH-UPS.

Mr. Bryan has been in smash-ups and has come out of them right side up with care. He has taken a leader's part in rescuing the injured and cutting out the dead, and has gone on his way, his nerves undisturbed, ready to speak with his accustomed fervor at the next place on his schedule.

He has met with all conceivable incidents, delays, mix-ups, failures to connect; has been storm-bound or landslide-bound or wreckage-bound; has suffered from thirst and hunger and cold and heat and all the ills that traveling flesh is heir to, and has come through them all with health unimpaired, with voice in good order, with an ever-ready fund of anecdote and repartee and always ready to get up and talk for silver or to send sound money and the administration to the lowest depths of condemnation at a moment's notice.

NOBODY CAN KEEP THE PACE.

He has worn out politicians who tried to keep the pace set by him. He has killed off correspondents. The asylums of the land are filled with poor wrecks of humanity whose managing editors told them to "go with Bryan." He has won the undying admiration of the ebony brethren who preside over the fortunes of parlor and sleeping cars, and who admit that, though travelers though they be, "the Kunnel" can tire them out.

And he has preached the funeral sermons over the coffins of many Pullman conductors who have died trying to see him through.

And the secret of it all? Temperance in all things but travel and sleep. Eight hours of sleep in the twenty-four, no matter what happens. That he must have. That he will have. And as a sleeper Col. Bryan is an eminent success.

NEVER DRINKS ALCOHOL.

No matter how weary and worn he may be, no matter how cold the car or how hot, no matter whether he be well fed or ill, no matter whether he be feeling under the weather, Bryan will not touch alcoholic drinks. He even eschews the non-alcoholic stimulants, but drinks copiously of good, clear, honest water.

His appetite is good; his digestion perfect. He likes an abundant but wholesome bill of fare, and he does justice to it. His teeth are fine and play their part to perfection. He never rushes a meal in the headlong and headstrong American fashion, but chews slowly and swallows with deliberation. All these things help, he believes.

They support his natural good health and strong constitution. But sleep is the greatest of all his tonics. It is the force which enables him to live the phenomenally active life he leads.

He is the great peregrinator. In 1897, 18,000 miles; in 1898, 18,000; in 1899, 38,000 miles. Total, 93,700 miles, more than three times around the world.

PAYS HIS OWN WAY.

And he pays his own expenses. The money for these he gets from paid lectures and for articles contributed to the newspapers. Col. Bryan has denied over his own signature that he receives money from the silver-mine owners, and his word is not to be doubted.

One month at home was all that he got last year. He enjoys his wife's society somewhat more than this, for at times she goes to meet him and he travels or rests a bit in her company. They are lovers, this man and his wife, in spite of their years in domestic life. Mrs. Bryan would like to be with her all the time, but she believes in his speed. She believes in him, and she believes in the day will come when she will be the first lady of the land.

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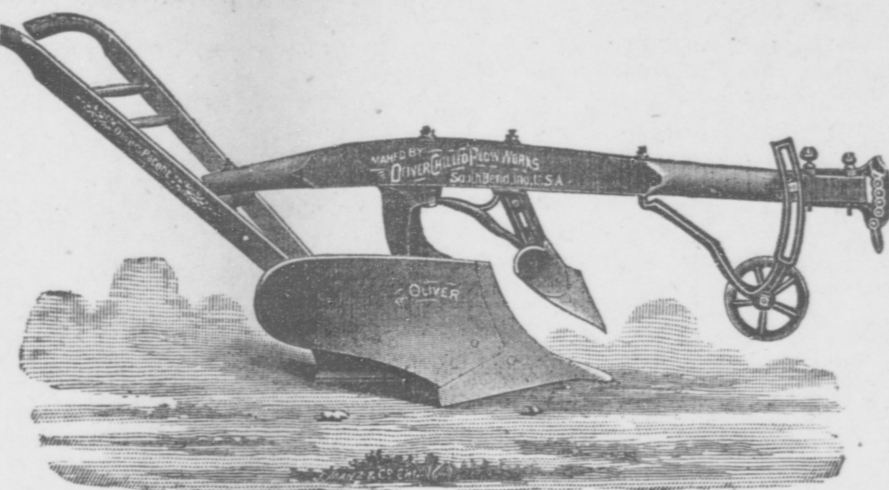
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LORD RUSSELL is out of the great brood mare Miss Russell, the dam of seven better than 2:30; four better than 2:20, and two that have beaten 2:10. She is also the dam of five sires of speed, among them the great Nutwood, and is the dam of four producing daughters. Note what strong producing blood LORD RUSSELL has. He will stand at

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SCARLET WILKES,

2:22 1-2, Trial 2:14 1-4.)

Sire of George, 2:13 1/4; trotting 2:10 1/4; pacing; Mercury Wilkes, 2:14 1/4; Capt. White, 2:15; The Duke, 2:16 1/4, &c., three to beat 2:20 in 1898.

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NEWT CURRENT has secured the agency for the famous Jung Brewing Co., of Cincinnati.

TO-day is Shrove Tuesday. To-morrow will be Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent.

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THE regular meeting of the Elks will be held to-night at the usual hour at the lodge rooms.

H. S. STOUT has rented a dwelling in Richmond and will go to housekeeping in that city early in March.

FARMERS buy your clover and timothy seed from J. Simms Wilson, on Bank Row. Excellent quality. (tf)

REMEMBER the Ardery & Craig sale to-day, and the Ferguson sale to-morrow. See advertisement for list of stock, etc.

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THE Georgetown Elks will give a big minstrel performance at an early date. They will be assisted by Dr. Ray Cannon, of New Albany, Ind., who is a whole show himself. Saxton's orchestra will furnish the music for the show.

THE new combined hose wagon and chemical fire engine, which the City Council bought about three months ago, is expected to arrive in a few days. It will be a valuable addition to the Fire Department.

ELD. LLOYD DARSIE, the new pastor of the Paris Christian Church will arrive the latter part of the week from Buffalo, N. Y., and will fill his pulpit Sunday morning and night. His household goods will arrive to-day.

REV. EBERHARDT will begin his series of sermons to young ladies Sunday night, preaching from the subject "The Young Woman in Society." He preached a splendid discourse Sunday night from the subject "Why Thinking People Do Not Go to Church."

THE Lexington Herald says: Mr. Willard B. Hutchison, for several years a valued salesman in the dry goods store of Appleton & Edge, retired from that popular house last night to take a position with the new firm of Cassell, Mitchell & Baker, who will begin business about March 1. Mr. Hutchison will be pleased to meet his many friends at his new place of business.

The D. A. R. Congress.

Miss Susan B. Anthony and Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Suffrage Association, spoke Friday at the congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution. Miss Anthony is a member of the Irondequoit chapter of Rochester, N. Y. In her speech she said that such organizations as the Daughters of the American Revolution were the outgrowth of the fight for the right of women to speak in public and to organize. Mrs. Catt spoke in a similar vein.

The result of the election for vice-presidents was announced as follows: Mrs. Jewett, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. J. A. T. Hall, Iowa; Mrs. Roebeling, New Jersey; Mrs. Cheney, New Hampshire; Mrs. Moss, Ohio; Mrs. Burrows, Michigan; Mrs. Barber, District of Columbia; Mrs. Crossman, New York, and Mrs. Morgan, Georgia. The president-general, Mrs. Manning, chairman of the continental hall committee, presented her report. The total amount on hand is \$50,745. The congress then made contributions of \$1 to \$1,000 to the fund.

Mrs. Dewey, on behalf of the admiral, Friday afternoon entertained the delegates at the residence of Mrs. John R. McLean.

A large reception was given Saturday at the Corcoran Art gallery.

Mrs. Robt. C. Talbott represented the Jeannette Johnson Chapter, of this city, at the D. A. R. Congress.

SOCIALDOM.

—Miss Nannie Wilson entertained the Violet Club with quite a pleasant and unique party Friday evening at her home on High street in honor of her guests, Miss Eva Chamberlain, of Atlanta, and Miss Katherine Gay, of Woodford county. A cord stretched across the doorway between the hall and the parlors contained hand-painted programs, to which were attached the baby pictures of the young lady guests. As the gentlemen came down stairs each was handed a Cupid's bow and arrow and invited to shoot at a heart. When the arrow struck a heart he then took the picture and sought to recognize his partner—a task which provoked much merriment. The leading pastime of the evening was a progressive game of poet and flower authors. The prizes were awarded to Miss Margie Turney and Rev. J. S. Meredith. A delightful luncheon was served at the conclusion of the games. The programs were decorated with clever sketches painted by Miss Wilson and Miss Chamberlain. The guests present were: Miss Chamberlain, Miss Gay, Misses Alice Spears, Emily Cooke, (Charleston, Va.), Louise Parrish, Etta McClintock, Mary Webb Gass, Leila Johnson, Sadie Clarke, Mayme McClintock, Gertrude Renick, Susie Johnson, Nellie Meredith, Margie Turney, Olivia Buckner, Bertha Hinton, Bessie Holladay, Mrs. Sidney G. Clay, Mrs. Frank P. Clay, Jr., Dr. M. H. Daily, Dr. C. B. Dickson, Rev. J. B. Meredith, Rev. E. G. B. Mann, F. P. Clay, Jr., F. P. Walker, Ford Brent, J. D. McClintock, J. W. Bacon, Will Clarke, Bruce Holladay, R. P. Dow, Jr., Warren Bacon, Clell Turner, J. K. Spears, Charles Kenney, Yancey Freeman, (Lexington), Albert Hinton, Oakford Hinton, John Brennan, Walter Champ.

—Miss Tillie Brent gave a merry chafing dish supper to about twenty young ladies on Washington's Birthday. The ladies arrived about half-past seven and an hour later the supper was announced. As the folding doors were opened six society young gentlemen were seen, dressed in the waiter's uniform of white coat and apron, holding aloft a waiter. This feature was a complete surprise, the presence of the young men being unknown to the lady guests. The supper was thoroughly enjoyed by both guests and the waiters. The young ladies each wore flag aprons.

—Mrs. E. M. Dickson will entertain the Darby and Joan Club at her home on Third street Thursday evening at half-past seven o'clock.

—Messrs. Guy Overbey and John Kriener will entertain a number of friends at the Overbey home on Seventh street Friday evening.

Confederate Meeting.

EVERY Confederate soldier in Bourbon County is requested to meet at the Court house on next Monday (court day), at two o'clock, to arrange for attending the reunion at Louisville and other business of importance.

A. T. FORSYTH, V. P. Bourbon Co., Confederate Veterans' Association.

A Report Corrected.

THE report in the daily papers Saturday that the firm of Clay & Woodford had dissolved partnership was a mistake. Mr. Catebay Woodford, junior member of the firm says: "The published reports of the dissolution of our firm are in the main incorrect. Our firm has not been dissolved, but we have by mutual agreement divided the broom maces jointly owned by us. We will continue to conduct Ronnymede and Rockland Stock Farms as heretofore, and the partners in our stallions, Hindoo and Sir Dixon, still exists. Burlington is my individual property, while Dunganen belongs to Colonel Clay. The customary joint sales of the produce of our farms will still be made."

News In Court Circles.

IN Judge Purnell's court George Barks, colored, alias "Poodletack," was given thirty days and costs for stealing coal from the Kentucky Midland. He was one of the "jurors" which recently held a mock court in Clayville and sentenced a colored boy to receive twenty lashes for stealing coal.

Ton Kellis, colored, was given thirty days and costs for pilfering coal from the L. & N.

IN Judge Webb's court yesterday Ed. Reed, colored, alias "Horsey," was held over in \$200 bond for trial by the Circuit Court on the charge of assault and battery.

Ticket Agents Excursion.

NEXT Monday Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carr, of this city, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris, of Carlisle, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rice, of Stanford, will leave for Chicago, where they will board a special train of Pullman sleeping and dining cars which will convey the delegates to the meeting of the International Association of Ticket Agents, at Atlanta. After that meeting adjourns the train will carry the party on a pleasure trip and through Savannah, Ga., Jacksonville, Tampa returning to Chicago. Some of the party will go over to Havana, Cuba, for a short stay.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Notes Hastily Jotted On The Streets, At The Depots, In The Hotel Lobbies And Elsewhere.

—Mrs. Alex Macklin, of Frankfort, is visiting Miss Letitia Clay.

—Mr. Lytleton Parnell spent Sunday with friends in Richmond.

—Mr. John Poynter went to Louisville Saturday for a short visit.

—Miss Louise Parrish is a home from a visit in Michigan.

—Misses Nannie and Emma Johnson were in Cincinnati Saturday.

—Judge H. C. Howard was in Richmond Saturday on a business trip.

—Mrs. A. J. Winters and son are expected home from Eminence Thursday.

—Mr. Yancey Freeman, of Lexington, was in the city Sunday visiting friends.

—Dr. Philip Foley went to Cincinnati Saturday afternoon for a short visit to friends.

—Mr. Timothy Shea, of the Fordham, was the guest of friends in Winchester Sunday.

—Miss Mary Russell January is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Warren in Lexington.

—Miss Nannie K. Roberts arrived home Saturday from a visit in Frankfort and Lexington.

—Mrs. Corne Watson left yesterday for a business trip in the East to purchase new millinery.

—Miss Madge Carruthers, of Cincinnati, arrived Saturday to be the guest of Miss Louise Parrish.

—Dr. and Mrs. Whip Fisher returned Saturday to Carlisle after a visit to relatives in the city.

—Miss Mayme E. Fansler has returned to her home in Maysville after a visit to Miss Emma L. Hite.

—Mrs. James Dedman and babe have returned to Cynthia after a visit to relatives in this city.

—Mrs. Jennie Lyle has arrived home from a visit to her son, Attorney Vimont Lyle, in New York City.

—Miss Stella Price, of Baltimore, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lee Price, left yesterday for Cincinnati.

—Mr. W. B. Hutchison, of Lexington, is in the city for a short visit to his mother, Mrs. Charles Foote, on Third street.

—Miss Carrie Berry, of Hamilton College, came down to Paris Friday afternoon to visit friends until yesterday.

—Mr. P. I. McCarthy and son Charles, of this city, were registered last week at The Colonial Hotel, in Mt. Clemens, Mich.

—Mr. V. C. Ward, of Columbus, O., manager of Ward's European Tours, was in the city Saturday on a business trip.

—Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander and Misses Kate Alexander and Nannie Clay attended the "Shore Acres" matinee in Lexington Saturday.

Charles C. Moore, editor of The Blue Grass Blade, and his publisher, James E. Hughes, have again been indicted and arrested for alleged violation of the postal laws of the United States. Both gave bond in the sum of \$1,000 each for their appearance at the October term of the United States Court at Louisville. Moore will be arraigned in Louisville to-day.

STYLISH shoes that fit comfortable and are worth the price can always be found at Davis, Thomson & Isgrig's. Nothing more useful for a holiday present. Take a look whether you buy or not. (dec27)

The Oriental Entertainment.

THE Be-Hau-Ne-Say Oriental entertainment to be given at the Grand Opera House on next Monday night has been produced more than 600 times in seventeen different States, and the audiences have been so charmed that there is no hesitancy in assuring that no entertainment can take its place or better please the public.

The press and pulpit wherever given endorse it. To see the costumes, costing many thousands of dollars, is well worth the price of admission.

A Rock On The Track.

THE afternoon L. & N. train from Maysville, in charge of Capt. Groves was derailed near Miller's station Friday afternoon, and was delayed for several hours. The accident was caused by the engine striking a rock which had slipped on the track. The engine and the coaches were derailed, the engine turning over, but no one was hurt. James Barnett, of the wrecking crew, had his hand mashed while helping to clear the track. Passengers were transferred Friday night, and the road was clear Saturday morning.

For Rent Ads.

If you have anything for sale or rent place a small advertisement in THE NEWS. A three line ad, in THE NEWS ten days ago brought twelve prospective renters for a house on Second street, and another small ad. has brought fifteen prospective tenants for a small tract of land advertised for rent. Advertising in THE NEWS pays. Have you tried it?

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STOCK.
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I will sell at the late residence of R. H. Ferguson, deceased, on the Home & Bedford turnpike at 10 o'clock a.m., on

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55 good feeding cattle;
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TERMS—\$20 and under cash; over that amount, six months at 6 per cent. interest; negotiable paper.

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If not sold privately before, I will sell publicly at court house door at 12 o'clock,

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NOTICE ! NOTICE !!

BOURBON CIRCUIT COURT.

Dan R. Kimbrough as administrator,
etc.,
vs. Notice.
M. J. Myers, etc., Defendants.

In pursuance of an order of the Bourbon Circuit Court made and entered in the above styled cause notice is hereby given that I will attend at my office in the Agricultural Bank Building, in Paris, Ky., on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 28TH, 1900,

between the hours of 9 o'clock, a. m., and six o'clock, p. m., for the purpose of hearing such proof as may be offered by any of the parties in interest touching the matters embraced in the order of reference in said cause, which said order is as follows, to-wit: To ascertain and report the debts which John M. Jameson, Jr., owed at the time of his death and whether said debts or any part of them are secured by liens, and upon what property the said liens are, if there be any, how much has been paid on said debts and to whom, if anything; also to ascertain what property said John M. Jameson, Jr., owned at the time of his death, the approximate value thereof and whether said property was real, personal or mixed and what disposition has been made of same, and whether said property was real, personal or mixed and what disposition has been made of same, and further to audit and settle the accounts of Dan R. Kimbrough as administrator of John M. Jameson, Jr., and I will continue my sittings from day to day until completed.

EMMETT M. DICKSON,
Master Commissioner Bourbon Circuit Court.

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THEY MEET.

They meet to-night, the one who closed his eyes
Unto the pain forever and the woe,
And one who found the mansions in the
skies
In all their splendor long, long years ago.
What will they say when first their eyes
shall meet?
Or will a silence take the place of words,
As only saints can know how strangely
sweet
A rapture such as only Heaven affords?
Will one who went before ask first for
those
Left far behind, those whom she loved
so well?
Or will the other, new to Heaven's repose,
Question of all its meaning—who can tell?
And will they wander where the flowers
are deep
Beneath their feet there in the pastures
green.
Where fadeless blossoms o'er the hillside
crowd,
And where no piercing thorns are ever
seen?
One went so long ago, and one to-night
Took the long journey far across the tide;
This only do I know, they meet to-night,
And meeting, both, I know, are satisfied.
—British Weekly.



FREE-LANCE
By CHAUNCEY C. HOTCHKISS

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CHAPTER XXIII.

IN THE HEART OF THE STORM.

In five minutes we were in the trough of it. Without a zephyr to steady her, the schooner wallowed like a crazy thing. The roll, the sidelong heave and lurch, the jerking pitch and recovery were terrible tests to the stanchness of the vessel. Alternately the bow and stern rose to a dizzy altitude, then sank with a rapidity that even to my trained nature was sickening. Each joint and block found a voice which complained in notes ranging from a bang to a squeak, of its unnatural treatment. Allow and aloft the poor Phantom protested, and, as I looked calmly on, I knew that if the conditions continued she would end in rolling her masts out, leaving us to finally founder, a sheer bulk. The mainmast swayed like a whip, cutting through the air of its motion with amazing swiftness. The diminished sail beneath it, with its spars slashing hither and thither, shook out a report like a cannon, and threatened to burst as its slack bunt drove from side to side. Everything loose or insecure fetched away and wandered at random about the decks. The lumps of lead I had brought up the night before rolled betwixt the hatch combing and bulwark, banging the latter with blows that threatened to drive out the planking, and would have done so had I not gripped my way to them and thrown them overboard. The scuttle butt sprang from its skids and came aft with a bound, halting and spinning like a top when in the waist, then dashed to larboard only to be stopped by a sidelong lift of the stern which shot it into the bows where it hung fast, bung up, jammed betwixt the flukes of the spare anchor and the bulwark stanchion.

I noted these things with an eye more interested in the antics of the barrel than in angling else. Its speed and agility were wondrous, and I thought more of its fearful force and erratic movements than of the general straits in which the schooner was now held. Through it all I felt my impotent numbness, and it was with the mere animal instinct of getting food for a craving stomach that I wearily moved to go below.

Stiff, sore and dispirited enough I was as I staggered down the companion and entered the cabin. The first sight of its interior was enough to break one's heart, and that fact probably did much to pull me together. The surgeon, the cowardly, besotted wretch, lay drunk on the floor, and also on the floor was Gertrude King, dead. I thought for an instant, but soon found she was not only alive but conscious. Having been thrown from her bunk, she had crawled over to her brother to prevent a like disaster to him, and now lay or leaned against his transom, powerless alike to help him or herself. She was almost dead from sea sickness and pain, yet when she saw me, the fright that came into her eyes reminded me of Lonsbury's last look. It was plain that McCarry had but given her a druggist's remedy and when this had been accomplished, without going further or vouchsafing an explanation of the day's later events, started in to finish the drunk I had so suddenly interrupted. The fever for rum was upon him, his manhood and morals having been consumed along with the liquor.

Notwithstanding the suffering his actions had entailed, I could almost have thanked him for being the cause of putting into me a sense of real existence, for there was a slight awakening from the heavy lethargy that held me as I stooped to the poor girl and lifted her in my arms as though she was a child to be comforted. The instinctive shrinking she had shown when I reached for her gave way to a moan and the limps of total abandonment as she felt the strength of my arm about her. As I laid her on the transom by the side of her brother, whose eyes were shut and whose heightened color now betokened fever, she placed her unwounded hand against my cheek as if to make sure of my being mortal, and faltered out:

"I thought you dead! O Donald! Donald! I thought you dead!"

In the mere sound of a human voice there was something that stirred me to a livelier sense of myself and surroundings. But her words did more than this. Of themselves, as I set them here in cold black and white, they hold no significance, but as I heard them there was something which caused the wan spark within me to burst into flame and shoot through the dullness of my exhausted body and overcast brain. The touch of the smooth hand, the look, and the simple tones of this ill-used, wounded and bedraggled girl were beyond misinterpretation to me, when to others it might have been but a trifle more than commonplace. Like a shock the attending danger of our situation rushed upon me, and again I realized my responsibility; a feeling that was not resurrected for hours, and which was now resurrected by the light that burst upon me at the girl's words.

She was a pitiful object as she lay prone at her brother's side. Her left arm was powerless, and the blood from her wounded head well stained her face, neck and hand. The flow had ceased, but through her bright hair I could see the location of the gash. I was no surgeon to dress either the cut or

fracture, and, as for the sake of all, my own necessities were paramount. I would lose no time in experiment without more warrant.

My own necessities, forsooth, and for the sake of all! I lost no honesty through dreaming of heroism. If my finer sensibilities had awakened, so had my coarser, and I knew I was now working for a purpose, the roots of which lay in selfishness, but of a stripe easily forgiven.

As I put the maiden down she closed her eyes, and either fainted or slept from exhaustion, and I, like a famished wolf, groped about the floor for the food which had been tipped from the table, holding her onto the transom the while with one hand, and with the other drawing together the fragments of the but half-eaten meal.

"I would have been a moving sight to an onlooker could one have peeped into the cabin at this time. The wounded brother and sister, object in their misery, even the ocean allowing itself no rest in its efforts to throw them from where they lay; the lengthy bulk of the drunkard sprawling half under the table, his body swaying with the leap of the vessel, and about the floor a mixture of broken food, the bag of gold and empty bottles which ran hither and thither with the acute and ever-changing angle of the deck, all seemingly chased by the overturned bucket which had stood by the side of Ames.

The light of the low-burning lantern swinging madly from its hook in the beam gave a melancholy effect in contrast to the pale dawn now gleaming white and cold through the windows, and in this muss, to the accompaniment of the groaning woodwork, was I half on my knees cramming my mouth with bits of hard bread and such matter as came rolling within reach.

I ate like a man in despair, and yet with a hunger which gave a sweet taste to each morsel, unsavory as I commonly would have thought it. As I snatched and swallowed, now possessed by the fear that the gale might rise again while I was below, I marked the unholy aspect of the surgeon. He did not present the disgusting appearance of Scamell, but beggarly enough he looked—a rum-sodden brute, outstriking his surroundings in the glory of his scarlet uniform. I held a firm hatred for him as he lay there, feeling that half my present trouble was due to his infernal weakness or deliberate carelessness. Had matters gone well below, I might have made a shift to keep to the deck and yet have food and drink supplied me, but now the whole business was on me, and my wounded were without proper care. I wondered how it could have come about that such an accomplished swifter of liquor had found it possible to have gotten dead drunk on the short allowance of whisky left in the bottle I had given him, but I soon gave over thinking of it. The question to be settled was how I could leave Ames and his sister, but it was soon solved. Letting Ames take the transom for a moment, I seized the morning redcoat by the collar and hauled him up the companion way, he making the third drunkard I had pitched from the cabin in this fashion. As I dropped him with small ceremony there came a sound as though he had struck the deck with a muffled club. This made me suspicious of still concealed arms, but, on turning him over, I found the cause and supply for his latest debauch. In the skirts of his coat were two bottles like that I had taken from him, one full, the other two-thirds empty. It was a Godsend, and then and there I took such a dram that ere long the contents of my veins were less akin to the icy water they had seemed to be holding.

Going back to the cabin, I hauled the larboard bunk mattress to the floor and laid the girl upon it. Close to her I laid Ames, lifting her and all, and thus both were beyond danger of a bad fall, however the vessel might ramp. The lad opened his eyes as I placed him by his yet unconscious sister, but I bade him not speak, and tried to hearten him by telling him I was yet master, that Gertrude was by his side, hurt, but not badly, and that we would, by the help of God, be safe ashore ere sunset. He smiled faintly, and made as if to nod, by which I guessed that whisky was no medicine for his complaint, but I managed to get a dram down the throat of the girl, whereat she soon opened her eyes and came to life with another moan.

Though I wished to linger by her, I dared not; there was much to do—too much for one mortal. It was the work of a moment to clear the floor of the bounding missiles and heave them above (all but the gold, which I threw into an empty bucket), and I followed after for a brief look about.

Since I had taken the whisky my energy had come back full fledged and in fighting mood, as though the numbness of the past few hours had been a waking slumber from which I had just recovered. The broadening day put hope in me, though clearly and with a quick sensitiveness I marked the anger of the sea, the sinister scowl on the face of Nature, and the wild disorder reigning aboard the Phantom from her bowsprit's end to her remaining truck. Bestowing a glance on the drunkard, who lay on the wet planking not a whit less comfortable than in the carpet of the cabin floor, I gave my attention to the shrouds, finding as yet nothing had let go or sprung. I then carried aft the main throat and peak halyards, that they might act the part of a back stay and give some relief to the standing rigging. I was engaged in making fast the lines when there passed beneath us a wave of extraordinary height and sharpness. It was a cross sea, and it well-nigh tripped the schooner, which term betokens a capsize from lack of supporting surface beneath a vessel's bilge. With a twisting lift it bore the stern so high in the air that the deck slanted like the sides of a steep, forcing me to drop the halyards and cling to the rail to prevent falling into the bow. For an instant I thought of a surety we would plunge sidelong below the following sea, pierce it, and be swamped inside the tenth stroke of my pulse; but the send of the water flung us partly out of the trough, and as it passed lifted the bow to a terrible incline, and, giving us an extra vicious lurch, left us almost stern out to the run of the billows. Had it broken as it reached us, the tons upon tons of water which would have fallen on our deck must have driven the schooner beneath the surface as though she was no more buoyant than the lead in her hold. It was a wonderful vision I had of the ocean from the height of the mighty comb. The sharpness of its ridge foretold the coming cascade, and, though it drove us down on our beam's ends and made the schooner groan like a suffering mortal as she recovered, it was not evil in its effects on me or mine.

Two things on deck there were which seemed to catch the infection of motion, one being the surgeon, who was shot into the scuppers with a violence which did something to sober him, for, like a man waking from a deep sleep, he threw out an arm and began rubbing his eyes, muttering words that might have been a protest at his rough usage. The other was the runaway scuttle butt which had been captured by the flukes of the spare anchor. As the stern of the Phantom sank to the hollow and the bow pointed higher than it had ever been, my lot to see it, the barrel, like a wild thing waiting its chance, dropped from the position in which it had been held and with a rush tore aft like a spent cannon ball. At the break

of the poop it was met by the lifting stern, and, retracing its course, drove against the door of the forecastle hatch with a force that split the panel from top to bottom. As a ball it sprang from the impact, spinning on its chimes for an instant, the water flying in a circular shower from its now open bung, then hurrying to larboard amidships, it reached well aft in time to be caught by the mounting stern. With a wonderful agility and seemingly with the instinct of one mad to escape environment, even if it ended in self-destruction, it jerked itself on end as though to look about, tottering and falling again on its side with the life of the bow. For a brief space it hung see-sawing and gurgling thickly as though choking, then it shot forward with the fury of a bolt. Nothing intervened to check its course, and, as though it had wings, it ran up the mass of rope and wreck which had now become jammed near the heel of the bowsprit, leaped into the air, cleared the low bulwark, and plunged, shrouded in its own spray, into the frothing sea below.

I would sooner have fought the three prisoners than been forward in the path of that insensate thing, and, though I was aware that our available stock of fresh water went with it, I was glad to see it spring off the deck.

CHAPTER XXIV.

A SMALL TRAGEDY.

The scuttle butt had barely disappeared, and I was about to get back to the cabin to see how had fared its inmates, when my ears were assailed by a violent hammering forward, and I at once perceived that my prisoners had assaulted the weakened panel of the forecastle door. With my blood well up, I got myself hand over hand along the bulwark, and by a leap from the cathead came to the hatch and boldly threw back the slide. The three were jammed on the ladder at work together, but the suddenness of my move caused them such a surprise that they tumbled from the perch as though struck. The lamp was out, and from the black hole came a hot and reeking smell that was suffocating.

"What's amiss there?" I roared, hanging on to the hatch with one hand and with the other showing the barrel of my pistol.

They scrambled to their feet and looked up, little but their white flesh showing in the wan light entering the half-open hatch. The sailor with the pigtail whom I had pitched below was a trifle in advance of the others, and, stepping a pace forward, he shouted back:

"Wot's amiss? Everything's amiss! Wot kind of treatment is this to give a man? Split me! I'd rather go overboard and stifle in a jiffy than smother by inches. Wot's amiss about, man? Who be you? Where's the cap'n?"

"Never mind me!" I answered. "Tis enough that I am master here, Lonsbury."



In the Heart of the Storm.

being some two leagues back. Pass up your arms! You are prisoners to the colonies, and the first finger that lifts in fight belongs to a dead man! Pass up what you have below there!"

"Prisoners, is it?" said he of the pigtail, turning to his fellows. "Heard ye a sign of the gang that boarded us? Cuss me, mates, but they must ha' come on wings then, for the sea was as smooth as a pan o' warm grease two minutes afore I was hurled on to ye, an' not a speck in sight, barrin' the Sprite! Prisoners, is it? Cuss me, list to that!"

"Ay, prisoners it is, and to the colonies; so no more palaver. What have you below?"

"I care not a damn for colonies or king!" was the reply. "There be no arms here. D'ye think three men were sent higher to beat off a boarding party, an' the schooner in consort? D'ye take us for sea-loading marines? We be sailors, we be—that's all. Here's wot I have, an' I'll trade it for air!"

Saying this, he pulled his knife from its sheath, and, taking the steel by its point, held it toward me.

"Will you swear to no other arms, each of you?" I cried.

"Ay, that's God's truth!" spoke up one of the others. "Ye say ye are of the colonies—well, so be I. I'm a New Bedford lad, sir, an' I'll be like ye to hold a grip on me that I may not be taken from ye."

"An' that's God's truth, too, yer honor!" broke in the first speaker. "There was naught vicious in the rampus we was raisin'. A man has a right to air, an' 'twas all we was cravin'. So be I'm a prisoner, I'm content if it means grub an' water an' a chance to breathe!"

Now I know little of the nature of the black sailor save that his anger is apt to show in treachery, but with the regular white salt I am better acquainted, and have found that the English seaman, be he Yankee or Briton, argues his point with a square fist and a flashing eye. Though there may be wars and wars with the mother country, it will be open and without back-stabbing by those of the Saxon race, and, believing this, I thought I saw a way of scoring a point, and that with little danger to myself. The truth of the statement that they were unarmed appealed to my reason. For defense three men armed or not would have cut no figure, and as the Sprite had intended to act as consort, the necessity of force on the Phantom had not been considered. Being satisfied that my prisoners possessed no weapons other than the sailor's universal knife, and holding that a bold face will carry a man further than a too open show of caution, I flung back the door and, grasping the slide, hung over the hatch opening and dropped into the forecastle.

"Now," said I, as I gathered myself and clung to the woodwork, "if you mean fair by me, we'll soon come to terms; if foul, take the last chance you'll have to settle! Who comes first, or come you all?"

"Look a' here, mister," said the spokesman, who scarce shifted his position as I

dropped near him, "I spoke ye fair, an' ha' boarded ye alongside I would be fain enough in the light, mind ye, an' 'twould be along of the leftenant's eye on me. But as it be, I care not for blood. If I fight, 'tis from bein' forced to it. I was shangied into this business, an' that's the truth; an' if I can get out without stakin' my necks as a deserter, I'm willin' enough. Ye say we be prisoners? Say no more. Do ye drive us to work for rations? Why so be. We knew naught about bein' taken captive, an' only wanted to speak ye fair an' get a breath. That's why we carved the watch. Ain't that so, mates?"

"Ay, that's gospel!" came from the one who had spoken of himself as a Yankee, while the third held his peace, leaning with folded arms and a skillful balancing of his person against one of the bunk uprights.

"You say you are a New Bedford lad?" said I, speaking to the man who had made the statement.

"Yes, sir; New Bedford, sir," came his ready answer. "I was pressed in Portsmouth three years ago, sir, while on shore leave from the Sallie Mull, trader, sir. I've been sailin' in these here home waters for nigh on two year, sir, with never a chance to run. I say it boldly, sir. Put me in three miles of the coast an' give me leave, sir, an' I'll go over the bow, damn me, an' swim ashore. But I won't join the Yankee navy, sir. No, sir. I don't want to hang; but, for God's sake, sir, don't get taken, else back to the Sprite I'll have to go, an' I'd as soon go to hell for a spell o' sufferin'!"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

THE ROBIN'S RED BREAST.

It Tried to Comfort Christ on the Cross, and Was Blessed, While the Jeering Mangle Was Cursed.

The part that dumb nature took in the crucifixion is interesting from the legendary side.

It is said that the crown of thorns was woven from branches of the hawthorn. When Jesus had been nailed to the cross the thorns were pressed into His brow, and the blood flowed freely. At this the branches of the hawthorn wept at the cruelty forced upon them by the executioners, and Jesus, noting their tears, changed the drops of His blood into flowers. The hawthorn had never blossomed before that day.

Birds, too, played a part at the crucifixion, according to legend. After Jesus had been nailed to the cross, two birds came and alighted on the extended arms of the instrument of death.

One was a magpie with a beautiful aigrette on its head and a long, waving tail, then the handsomest of birds, but the wickedest, chirping insults at the suffering Jesus.

The other bird was a modest little bird with gray plumage, which approached the cross timidly, uttering cries of grief. With its beak it tried to pluck away one of the thorns. A single drop of the blood fell on the breast of the piteous little gray bird, and gave the world the robin red breast. And to it Jesus said:

"Blessed be thou, little bird, which sharest my sorrows. May joy accompany thee everywhere. Thine eggs shall be blue as the sky above; thou shalt be the 'bird of God,' bearer of good tidings."

"As to thee," He said to the magpie, "thou shalt be an accursed bird. Thou shalt lose that brilliant aigrette and the beautiful colors on which thou prides thyself so highly. Funeral bird, thy message shall be only evil, and the rain from heaven shall always fall into thy nest."

The peasants of France, in accordance with this tradition, pierce the head of a magpie with a thorn whenever they catch one.

In Spain the swallow is considered the good bird, and they say that when the Roman soldiers pressed the crown of thorns on Jesus' brow the swallows came and tried to remove the thorns with their beaks.

The Russians say that the swallow took away the nails which the executioners had brought, but the sparrows carried them back again.

The Danish say that at the moment of the crucifixion the stork, moved with pity, cried: "Strykhain! Strykhain!" ("God, give Him strength!") and since that time the stork has been considered sacred.—Boston Globe.

A Query for Him.

He had discussed learnedly, if somewhat wearily, to his friend on the influence of food upon character.

"Tell me," said he, in summing up, "tell me what a man eats and I will tell you what he is."

His friend, though fatigued, was evidently interested.

"There is only one question I wish to ask you," he said.

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Miss Lida Clarke is boarding with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. A. Miller.

Arthur Best of Winchester, Tenn., is the guest of his parents. Dr. Best and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall will move to Athens this week, their future home.

Miss Kate Richardson, of Lexington, visited her grandmother from Friday to Monday.

A. C. Ball, Jas. Butler and M. H. current have filed petitions in bankruptcy.

Miss Sue Wood has returned to Stanford after a visit to her sister Mrs. S. M. Allen.

Miss Florence Lockhart, of Paris, was the guest of the Misses Wadell Friday and Saturday.

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Mr. Vache Worthington and daughter Miss D. E. of Mason visited his son at M. T. School from Friday to Monday.

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Prof. C. M. Best and wife entertained about 400 of their friends at the M. T. S. building Friday evening from nine to eleven. Gen. Washington, Gen. Lafayette and others were in the receiving line. Luncheon was served in a Colonial room, which was beautifully draped, and had many old curiosities to remind one of other days. The tables were presided over by a number of Colonial dames. The costumes were too numerous to mention. A number of coats, dresses, etc., worn by guests were more than a hundred years old. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves and return thanks to the genial Professor and his amiable wife.

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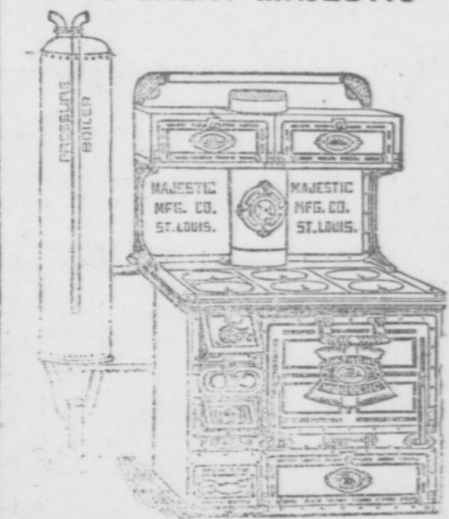
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